

BIOGRAPHY

PENNSYLVANIA AIR NATIONAL GUARD

BRIGADIER GENERAL ANTHONY J. CARRELLI

Deputy Adjutant General - Air, Headquarters Pennsylvania Air National Guard

Brigadier General Anthony J. Carrelli is the Deputy Adjutant General-Air, Pennsylvania National Guard. He is the principal advisor to the Adjutant General on all matters pertaining to air operations and also serves as the Commander, Pennsylvania Air National Guard. General Carrelli is responsible for overall operational readiness ensuring more than 4100 assigned members are organized, trained and equipped to successfully accomplish their federal and state missions.



General Carrelli graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy with a Bachelor of Science Degree and was commissioned as a second lieutenant in 1985. He served in the active duty Air Force for several years as a T-37, AT-38, and A-10 pilot. Following his release from active duty, General Carrelli joined the Pennsylvania Air National Guard where he served as commander of both the 111 Fighter Wing and the 171 Air Refueling Wing, before moving to his current position in the Joint Force Headquarters. General Carrelli has deployed in numerous operations to include Desert Storm, Southern Watch, and most recently Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom.

EDUCATION:

1985 Bachelors of Science, U.S. Air Force Academy
1989 Squadron Officer School, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL
1995 Masters of Aviation Science, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, FL (Correspondence)
2001 Air Command and Staff College, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL (Correspondence)
2005 Air War College, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL (Correspondence)

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. 1985-1986, Student Pilot, Undergraduate Pilot Training, Reese AFB, TX
2. 1986-1990, T-37 Instructor Pilot, 35th Flying Training Squadron, Reese AFB, TX
3. 1990-1991, A-10 Pilot, 18th Tactical Fighter Squadron, Eielson AFB, AK
4. 1991-1992, A-10 Pilot, 353rd Tactical Fighter Squadron, Myrtle Beach AFB, SC
5. 1992-1995, T-37 Pilot Instructor Pilot, 559th Flying Training Squadron, Randolph AFB, TX
6. 1995-1997, A-10 Pilot, 354th Fighter Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, AZ
7. 1997-1999, A-10 Pilot, 357th Fighter Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, AZ
8. 1999-2003, A-10 Pilot, 103rd Fighter Squadron, Willow Grove ARS, PA
9. 2003-2006, Commander, 111th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, Willow Grove ARS, PA
10. 2006-2009, Commander, 111th Maintenance Group, Willow Grove ARS, PA
11. 2009-2012, Commander 111th Fighter Wing, Willow Grove ARS, PA
12. 2012-2013, Commander, 171st Air Refueling Wing, Pennsylvania Air National Guard, Coraopolis, Pennsylvania
13. 2013 – Pres, Deputy Adjutant General – Air, Headquarters Pennsylvania Air National Guard, Pennsylvania

FLIGHT INFORMATION:

Rating: Command Pilot

Flight Hours: More than 4,500

Aircraft Flown: A/OA-10, T-37, T-38, AT-38B, KC-135

MAJOR AWARD AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit

Bronze Star

Meritorious Service Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters

Air Medal with 1 Silver Oak Leaf Cluster

Aerial Achievement Medal with 1 Silver Oak Leaf Cluster

Air Force Commendation Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters

Air Force Achievement Medal with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster

Gallant Unit Citation

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Meritorious Unit Award

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with Valor with 1 Silver Oak Leaf Cluster and 2 Oak Leaf Clusters

National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Star

Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal with Two Bronze Stars

Southwest Asia Service Medal with One Bronze Star

Afghanistan Campaign Medal with Two Bronze Stars

Iraq Campaign Medal with One Bronze Star

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Global War on Terrorism Service Award

Air Force Overseas Ribbon – Short Tour with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster
Air Force Expeditionary Service Ribbon w/Gold Border with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters
Air Force Longevity Service Ribbon with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters
Armed Forces Reserve Medal with 6 'M' Device, 1 Silver Hourglass
Small Arms Expert Marksmanship Ribbon with One Bronze Star
Air Force Training Ribbon
Pennsylvania Distinguished Service Medal
Pennsylvania State Service Medal
Pennsylvania Maj. Gen. Thomas R. White, Jr. Medal
Pennsylvania Thomas J. Stewart Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION:

Second Lieutenant May 29, 1985
First Lieutenant May 29, 1987
Captain May 29, 1989
Major February 1, 1997
Lieutenant Colonel April 20, 2001
Colonel October 1, 2007
Brigadier General July 23, 2013